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FOUR MEN WORK COPPER VEINS

Operations in Hudspeth County Conducted on Cooperative Plan.

H. W. Ponton, who a number of years ago was a locomotive engineer on the Mexican Central railroad in Chihuahua, while in El Paso this week will be one of four men working on a cooperative plan among silver lead and silver copper veins near Hot Wells station on the G. H. & S. R. railroad in Hudspeth county, Texas. He said he had true fissure veins and the ore was of good grade. He expects to soon have enough ore for a shipment to the smelter.

Mr. Ponton's plan is that he and his three partners will put up the ore and the net returns above \$10 per ton will be divided equally among the partners.

He said there are both east and south and west systems of true fissure veins in the Hot Wells area. The Hazel mine, his claims from the old Hazel silver vein about 12 miles northward from Hot Wells southward through Hudspeth county. He said the veins are numerous and the ore was of good grade. He expects to soon have enough ore for a shipment to the smelter.

A Denver engineer, with Mr. Ponton, is working a silver copper property about four miles from Hot Wells. It has two shafts down 100 feet level which is about the same depth as the Hot Wells mine.

Charles Sutton has leased to Mr. Hackett of El Paso a silver property about one mile west of the Hazel mine, and the latter is sinking a 100 foot shaft, Mr. Sutton said.

IRON CAPS PROMISES BIG PRODUCTION THIS YEAR

According to reports from Miami, Ariz., the Iron Caps copper property promises greater production for 1919, notwithstanding the fact that it was delayed during the earlier part of the year, owing to the low price of copper.

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ARIZONA DELEGATES TO CONGRESS NAMED

Phoenix, Oct. 25.—Arizona's delegation to represent Arizona at the American mining congress to be held at St. Louis, November 17 to 21, were appointed by Gov. Campbell, as follows:

A. T. Thompson, Douglas; F. W. MacEachern, Miami; Norman Carmichael, Chino; M. Curley, Ajo; W. B. Dickey, Laramie; J. C. Dickey, Tucson; W. C. Browning, Superior; G. McColloch, Humboldt; J. A. Burgess, Gila, and Ezra W. Thayer, Phoenix.

MINE EXHIBIT AT FAIR

Charles E. Willis, who is in charge of the mineral exhibit which is to be made at the Arizona state fair at Phoenix, has written to the state fair authority asking that they furnish him a regular letter announcing that the exhibit is now in permanent quarters in the state capital.

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Company Checks Up On Reserve In Copper Field

Church Drilling Campaign Started by Inspiration Consolidated.

The Inspiration Consolidation Copper company at Miami, Ariz., is preparing to begin a church drilling campaign, not to prove up new ore bodies, but to check up on those obtained in its campaign of this year begun in 1918, but to check up on those obtained in those operations extending over a long period and which proved the ore reserves available in the mine. The work will be done in the manner of the previous campaign, it was generally considered that ore to be commercially valuable had to carry at least 15 percent copper in the sulphide form.

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The new drilling campaign is to be used in this work to begin with.

ARIZONA MEN ORGANIZE FEATHER RIVER COMPANY

George W. Long, millionaire mine owner of Arizona, and other mining men of that state, have organized the Feather River Company, which has taken over the old Single copper mine on the Feather river in Plumas county, Calif. The new company has already placed a bid for the mining rights of the mine and will proceed to get the property under their name.

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AMERICAN COMPANY BUILDS MACHINE SHOP AT CHIHUAHUA

The following item, issued by Captain D. B. Stewart, of Chihuahua City, Mex., appears in the last issue of the government commerce report:

"Work is soon to be completed on the new machine shop which is being constructed by the American Smelting & Refining company at the secret of the interior as subject to entry under this section.

The building is to be located in an area of mineral land

WILL OPERATE CHLORIDE MINE

Silver Mountain Metals Company Superintendent in El Paso.

The Silver Mountain Metals company, which recently took over the old Silver Mountain mine near Chloride, Sierra county, N. M., is in El Paso arranging with the general manager, John H. McCutcheon, in regard to motor transportation and other improvements, and for starting operations at the location of all such mining claims on the Chloride property.

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PRODUCTION OF ZINC FOR FIRST HALF OF 1919

Figures compiled by C. E. Gleason, chief of the geological survey department of the interior, from reports submitted by all zinc smelters which operated during the first six months of 1919, show that the total output of zinc from domestic zinc smelters was 217,534 short tons and from foreign 1918 tons, a total of 236,642 tons, an increase of 10,000 tons over the first half of 1918 and 25,000 tons over the first half of 1917.

The stock of zinc held at smelters on January 1, 1919, was 11,114 tons and on June 30, 1918, was 11,014 tons, an increase of 1,000 tons.

In addition to the zinc produced from zinc, 73,811 tons were produced from zinc, 11,000 tons of which the zinc was of grades above prime western and the total, added to the primary output, gives 252,330 tons, constituting of 26,000 tons of zinc and 25,000 tons of zinc of grade C, and 161,393 tons of zinc of grade D.

Many zinc smelters have been dismantled in the past year, and some that were not are again back, one or the other, to the zinc produced, though the number of plants at which there were some operations during the first half of 1919 is 153,386, compared with 154,718 in 1918, 154,718 in 1917, and 154,718 in 1916.

The number of retorts in operation on June 30, 1919, was 47,600 as compared with 42,409 at the end of 1918 and 42,409 at the end of 1917.

OLD MONUMENT MINE WELL READY TO START OPERATIONS

C. B. Hullinger, superintendent of the Silver Mountain Metals company, which recently purchased the old Monument mine mill at Chloride, Sierra county, N. M., has it ready to begin the operation.

The old mine has been idle since

the early days of the American Civil War.

The properties mentioned and other

mines in the Sierra Ancha mountains about 40 miles northwest of Globe. It is said that preparations are being made to utilize the power plant at the old mine.

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